AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in this application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) An image printer system comprising:

a receiving unit that receives image data from a first image recording medium in an original form in which the image data is recorded in the first image recording medium;

a printing unit that prints out an image based on the received image data;

a saving unit that saves the received image data in the original form in a second recording medium; and

a control unit that begins a printing operation by the printing unit and a data save operation by the saving unit consecutively in case that the both operations are instructed before they are begun.

- 2. (Canceled)
- (Currently Amended) An image printer system as claimed in claim [[2]]
 wherein the receiving unit is capable of receiving plural kinds of recording mediums.
- 4. (Original) An image printer system as claimed in claim 1, wherein the control unit begins the printing operation before beginning the data save operation.

5. (Currently Amended) An image printer system comprising:

a first portion <u>for setting a medium</u> into which a first medium in which image data is stored is set;

a second portion <u>for setting a medium</u> into which a second medium in which image data is to be saved is set;

extracting means that extracts the image data from the first medium set in the first portion;

a printing unit that prints an image based on the extracted image data;

a storing unit that stores the extracted image data in the second medium set in the second portion; and

a control unit that begins a printing operation by the printing unit and a data save operation by the saving unit consecutively in case that the both operations are instructed before they are begun.

6. (Original) An image printer system as claimed in claim 5, further comprising:

a detector that, before beginning the data save operation, detects whether the second medium is set in the second portion

7. (Currently Amended) An image printer system as claimed in claim 6, further comprising:

a display that <u>displays</u> a warning <u>to encourage setting the second</u>

<u>medium in the second portion</u> that encouraged to set the second medium in case that the detector detects that the second medium is not set in the second portion.

- 8. (Original) An image printer system as claimed in claim 5, wherein the control unit begins the printing operation before beginning the data save operation.
 - 9. (Currently Amended) An image printer system comprising:

a receiving unit that receives image data <u>from a first image recording medium</u> in an original form <u>in which the image data is recorded in the first image recording medium;</u>

a correcting unit that corrects the received image data;

a printing unit that prints an image based on the corrected image data; and

a saving unit that saves the received image data in the original form in a second recording medium.

10. (Original) An image printer system as claimed in claim 9, further comprising:

a control unit that begins a printing operation by the printing unit and a data save operation by the saving unit consecutively in case that the both operations are instructed before they are begun.

- 11. (Original) An image printer system as claimed in claim 10, wherein the control unit begins the printing operation before beginning the data save operation.
- 12. (Currently Amended) An image printer system as claimed in <u>claim</u> 9, wherein the correcting unit applies contrast correction to the received image data.

- 13. (Currently Amended) An image printer system as claimed in <u>claim</u> 9, wherein the correcting unit applies frequency correction to the received image data.
- 14. (Currently Amended) An image printer system as claimed in <u>claim</u> 9, wherein the correcting unit applies color correction to the received image data.
- 15. (Currently Amended) An image printer system comprising the steps of: receiving image data from a first image recording medium in an original form in which the image data is recorded in the first image recording medium;

instructing a printing operation and a data save operation;

printing out an image based on the received image data; and saving the received image data in the original form in a second recording medium.

16. (Currently Amended) An image printer system comprising:

a receiving unit that receives image data <u>from a first image recording medium</u> in an original form <u>in which the image data is recorded in the first image recording medium;</u>

a printing unit that prints out an image based on the received image data;

a saving unit that saves the received image data in the original form in a second recording medium; and

a control unit that sets a parameter for a printing operation and for a data save operation before they are begun by the printing unit and the saving unit, respectively.